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- [X] Fee Calculation Sheet
- [X] Declaration for Patent Application
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| | TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(c)) | 28-20= | 8x | \$ 18 | = \$ | 144.00 |
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| | Fee for Petition for Extension of Time (if any) | | | | \$ | 110.00 |
| | | | Total of above Ca | alculations = | \$ | 964.00 |
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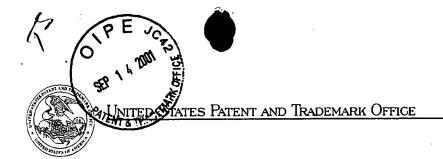
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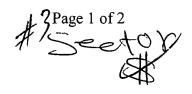
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- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.

 Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$414.
 - \$144 for 8 total claims over 20.
 - \$270 for multiple dependent claim surcharge.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
 A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
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